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## **Homicide Investigation Update**

The Birmingham Police Department reports that detectives have arrested and charged a suspect in connection with a homicide investigation. The incidents occurred Saturday, December 5, 2015 in the 500 block of 41<sup>st</sup> Street North.

The victim has been identified as:  
**Kenneth Scott, B/M, 29 of Birmingham, Alabama**

The suspect has been identified as:  
**Jonathan Burns, W/M, 30 of Trussville, Alabama.** A Capital Murder warrant with a no bond has been obtained against the suspect. The suspect is in the Jefferson County Jail.

The Birmingham Police department is committed to solving each homicide case. In this case, the suspect decided to turn himself in after consulting his attorney. This is another case where people decided to solve their conflict with violence and as a result, a life was taken.

If there is anyone who has additional information pertaining to this case, they are encouraged to contact the B.P.D. Homicide Unit @ 254-1764 or Crime Stoppers @ 254-7777.

**Refer to media release #123 of 2015 for additional information on this case.**

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